

Jackson Notes!

H. C. Riley of New Madrid had business here Tuesday.

George Baker went to Vanderburg Wednesday.

Mrs. Emanuel Milde left for Chicago Wednesday to visit relatives.

Fred Seidel of Millerville was here Wednesday.

Dr. Joe Howard of Oak Ridge was in the city Wednesday.

A. M. Roth of Edna visited his son, A. Roth last Friday.

Chris Wedekind of White-water, was in the city last Friday.

Rudolph Kaston and wife went to Uniontown Friday.

Mrs. Boaz spent Tuesday in the Cape visiting friends.

Wilson Cramer had business at the Cape Wednesday.

Wm. Macke has moved back here from Chaffee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Behrens delightfully entertained a number of friends last Friday.

Ernest Miller, a Millerville merchant, sold his store to Mr. Dockine last week.

Jacob Wendel and family of Fomfelt visited relatives here last Friday.

Jack and Percy Dormeyer and Louie Hoffman had business at the Cape Tuesday evening.

Miss Grace Horn entertained a number of her friends at a Valentine party Tuesday night.

Harry Wagner had business at the Cape Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. LaPierre entertained a number of friends Tuesday night with a Valentine party.

Jackson will have a double mail service from the Cape. The Houck road will begin to carry mail after Feb. 20.

Mrs. Lizzie Vandivort visited Mrs. Charles McDonald in Fruitland this week.

Miss Laura Brennecke is visiting her sister Mrs. Emma Kurre, at Lutesville.

Miss Carrie Klein of Perry county, visited relatives here this week.

Miss Sarah Baldwin left Saturday for St. Louis to buy spring millinery.

James Henaley returned to Ulin, Ill., Monday after spending Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Three ladies united with the Presbyterian church Sunday; Mesdames Alma Burford, Silas Lail and S. Peterman.

Mrs. Albert Hink of Gordonville and Mrs. Robert Tirmenstein of Benton are visiting Mrs. Albert Kerstner this week.

The Jackson gun club had a shoot last Friday, and the following scores were made: Wagner 17, Russell 15, Voges 14, Putz 18, Horrell 21, McFarland 16, Grant 15, Taylor 16, Milde 16.

Eldon L. Proffer was awarded the contract to carry the mail from Jackson to Burfordville, at \$449.00 per year, Hoffman & Lail refusing to continue in the government service.

Mrs. Mary O. Kirker died yesterday of brain trouble.

B. Heiserer of Oran, visited in Jackson this week.

Frank Gilder left Saturday for St. Louis to undergo a treatment.

Forty converts were baptized at the Methodist church Sunday.

J. M. Buérkle had business at the Cape Wednesday.

S. B. Allison has been appointed Iron Mountain agent at Arcadia.

Misses Della and Magdaline Keller of Dutchtown visited Miss Alma Ritter Sunday.

A large crowd attended the Schade sale Tuesday.

Phil Heyde returned home from St. Louis Tuesday.

Miss Maud Medley of Gordonville visited Mrs. A. M. Spradling Tuesday.

W. H. Miller and wife of the Cape visited friends here Tuesday. They came over in their big Mitchell touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wolters are in St. Louis purchasing furniture and furnishings for their new home on North High street.

Mrs. Gusta Lucht and children returned to their home in Illinois after visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Buérkle.

A 6 o'clock dinner was given Monday evening by Miss Bessie Samuel in honor of Misses Doris Helmkamp and Frankie Lusk, and Grace McLain.

Lost—Saturday, February 11, between Juden's creek and Cape Girardeau, one bracelet with initials M. H. W. Finder please leave at Herald office and get reward.

City council met last Thursday night and issued a warrant to J. R. Jenkins for \$400.00 in payment for a lot to be used for a city jail, stock pound and fire department. The Mayor was instructed to proceed with the erection of the jail immediately.

Miss Dora Kies entertained a number of her friends at progressive dominoes. Those present were: Dora and Lydia Kies, Alma Wagner, Nellie Schwab, Elsie Heyde, Sophia Illers and Linda Beinlin, William and Louis Kies, Adam Hoffman, Phil Steck and Ben Schwab.

A Valentine tea was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. C. W. Henderson. The house was prettily decorated and suggestions of St. Valentine and Cupid were everywhere. Those present were: Mesdames J. A. Snider, Fred Goyert, Kate Schmuke, Louis Hoffmeister G. Sibley.

Mrs. Fred Schneider entertained last Saturday evening. Contesters were the amusements of the evening. Those present were: Misses Lulu Rose, Lillie Kneibert, Sophia and Amanda Schneider, Cora and Rosa Bingheimer Elsie Hoffmeister, Hulda Volkert, Frieda Keene and Francis Milde.

Clinton Goyert, Leon Vandivort and Adolph Mueller performed a western walking stunt Sunday. They walked to Cape Girardeau in the afternoon in 2 hours and 15 minutes, and the two former completed the return trip, arriving home in the evening a tired and foot-sore pair. Adolph Mueller decided that a one-way trip was sufficient exercise for him and he stayed in the Cape all night returning home the next morning.

Fred Newell and family and Charles Sievers and family went to the Cape Tuesday night in Mr. Newell's auto.

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Mrs. Dr. Hall of Fruitland was here Tuesday.

Louis Sievers of Gordonville, was in the city Tuesday.

Fred Goyert had business at the Cape Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Allison left Wednesday for Arcadia.

Harry Wagner left Wednesday for Kewanee, Ill.

Miss Eva Sinnamon of the Cape, visited Miss Elsie Heyde this week.

Martin Kerstner and wife of Gordonville were in Jackson Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Boaz went to St. Louis Monday to purchase spring millinery.

Mrs. W. H. Ranger and Miss Ella Brandt of Gordonville were the guests of Mrs. Albert Kerstner, Tuesday.

Dr. J. N. MacFarland received a telegram Wednesday notifying him he was called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Mineral Wells, Texas. He has the matter under consideration.

Jackson was a lively place last Tuesday, Probate court, being in session, also an adjourned term of the County court. About 300 people came to attend W. F. Schade's annual stock sale. The weather was ideal and a large number of sales were made. The sale netted, we understand, more than \$11,000.

Overseers To Meet.

Dennis Scivally, county highway engineer, has called a meeting of all Cape county road-oversers at Jackson on afternoon, February 18. The public is also invited and the meeting will no doubt prove an interesting one to all persons interested in good roads. Curtis Hill, state highway engineer, will be in attendance and will give an illustrated lecture on road work.

Stag Supper.

The stag supper given by R. S. Wolters to fourteen of his gentlemen friends Saturday night was a decided success, and was an enjoyable event in every way.

The affair was in celebration of Mr. Wolters' thirty-second birthday, and at the close of the supper the guests all raised their wine glasses and gave the following toast to their host: "May your life be long and prosperous." The glasses were clicked and the guests drank to the health and prosperity of Mr. Wolters. Those present were: Henry Puls, W. C. LaPierre, Henry Gockel, Adolph Yeager, Will Heyde, Henry Wagner, Silas Lail, Albert Kerstner, Jno. Hoffmeister, Lawrence Wagner, and Joe Wolters.

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Fire Cripples Legislature

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Both houses met during the week just long enough to adjourn and keep within the provisions of the constitution. The committees appointed reported that they had found meeting places and that everything would be in working order by today.

There is talk here to the effect that the legislature will appropriate enough to rebuild the north and south wings of the building for office purposes until a new capitol could be completed. The dome and center of the building will be torn down, but the walls of the two wings are said to be in fairly good shape and could be repaired for temporary use for \$35,000. Contractors are looking things over with a view of repairing the building.

School Funds Fraud Charges.
About the only thing of interest that occurred in legislative circles was the charge of fraud in the state school list, made in a resolution by Senator Charles F. Carter of Clark county. He charges that some of the cities and communities of the state are getting more than their share of the state school funds. He further asks the appointment of a committee of three to investigate the enumeration of St. Joseph, Moberly and other municipalities, which he believes are getting more than their share of the money.

One-third of the total revenue of the state is set aside by law for the use of the public schools and is distributed on the basis of school population, not upon taxable wealth. The enumeration is taken after each annual school election, except in St. Louis and some of the larger cities, and the result of this canvass is certified to the superintendent of public instruction, and he figures out the amount to which each county or city is entitled. The amount of school money appropriated for each child varies. Senator Carter claims that St. Joseph receives annually about \$25,000 more than the city is entitled to and that this has been going on for the past five years. Carter says that his resolution is intended to call the attention of the senate to the unequal distribution of school money to the end that legislation be enacted covering the subject.

Important Bills Delayed.
The many important bills that went to have been taken up for consideration last week, among them the redistricting proposition, have faded to the background for the present at least. They must first be located and the lost ground retrieved.

The matter of moving the capitol has brought on much comment and is at present the topic of discussion among the legislators. St. Louis seems to be after it, while the balance of the cities that entered the fight in the beginning have dropped by the wayside. If there is a fight on the proposition it will be between Jefferson City and St. Louis, the former having the support of the western end of the state.

Missouri can have a five-million-dollar capitol by means of a levy of only 2 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation, according to the figuring of some of the representatives. Such a plan would raise money enough to pay interest on bonds and create a sinking fund. The present assessed valuation of \$1,639,488,858 would yield \$327,897 the first year on the basis of 1910 assessment. Future assessments doubtless will be higher and the revenues from the 2 cents will grow. It is believed that the state will have no trouble to sell bonds at 34 per cent and \$175,000 a year will take care of the interest on the bonds, so that \$152,897 would go to the sinking fund the first year. If all the bonds were sold at once, as that is not likely to happen, the chances are that from the start the 2-cent levy will permit the state to carry \$200,000 yearly to the sinking fund, and that will mean the payment of the bonds before the state realizes it.

Today, when the two bodies met in their new quarters, a concurrent resolution was adopted designating that for the balance of the session St. Peter's hall and the supreme court chamber are the legal places of meeting. After a few days things will be running as usual, except that some of the routine legislation that stood a chance for passage before the fire will be dropped. If the legislature accomplishes half of what it intended to accomplish it will have been a pretty good session despite the fire.

L. R. LUETKEWITTE
BILLS AGAINST HARRY THAW
Referee in Bankruptcy Allows Claims Aggregating \$200,000.
Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—In an opinion and report relative to the claims of various creditors of Harry K. Thaw, who killed Stanford White, William T. Blair, referee in bankruptcy, has allowed claims aggregating \$200,000.
Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, the mother, is allowed her claim in full, amounting to \$209,574.21. A bill of \$650 of Dr. Salvo Bros., New York merchants, for merchandise purchased for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, was also allowed in full. Attorney John H. Gleason of New York, who claimed \$50,000 for professional services, was allowed \$20,115. The full claim of Martin W. Littleton, amounting to \$8,340.54, was allowed.

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